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# THE MAINE CAMPUS

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Candidates for the 1953 Winter Carnival were happy when the snow came early this week to cover an unseasonably bare campus. The queen candidates are, left to right, Jan Oliver, Alice Kelson and Nancy Karakas. King hopefuls are Tom Seavey, John Knowles, Al Anderson and Woody Carville. Photo by Dickson

## Most Students Return As New Semester Opens

Only 59 out of the 2,741 students who completed the fall semester failed to register for the second half of the college year, according to University Registrar James A. Gannett.

Thirty-nine new students have enrolled for the spring semester leaving the new term registration 20 short of the fall semester but about normal in regard to past years.

Military service is believed to have claimed a large part of an additional 107 students who dropped out of college during the semester, while 78 more were graduated in January.

These figures, released by the registrar's office, decrease the fall enrollment of 2,926 to 2,721, which is a new postwar low on campus. The freshman class lost the largest number of members.

Men continue to outnumber women almost 3-1 this semester. There are 1,873 men to 688 women attending classes.

A further breakdown of enrollment figures shows the following: 497 seniors, 559 juniors, 567 sophomores, 736 freshmen, and 59 graduate students. In addition there are 59 two year aggie students, 58 three-year nurses, and 28 special students enrolled.

## Seventy-Eight Get Degrees At Exercises

Sixty-eight bachelor degrees and 10 master degrees were awarded by the University at the special mid-winter commencement exercises Jan. 30 in the Women's Gymnasium.

Dr. Herbert G. Espy, Maine commissioner of education, delivered the commencement address.

In his address, Dr. Espy urged members of the class to "defend university education against those who would attack it."

Candidates for the degrees were presented by the deans of the various colleges and the degrees were conferred by President Arthur A. Hauck.

## Snow Sparks Enthusiasm For '53 Winter Carnival

By BARBARA WIGGER

With a moderate snowfall to spark enthusiasm, the interest of the campus turns toward the "Olympian Holiday" scheduled for next week end, Feb. 20-22, as the 1953 Winter Carnival Committee completes its arrangements for the forthcoming rampage of Greek and Roman gods.

Eight candidates have been selected from the nominations in each dormitory and fraternity, and elections will be held next Thursday and Friday forenoon in the Library.

The candidates for queen are: Janet Lu Oliver, Nancy Karakas, Alice Kelson, and Sally Stanford.

The four men chosen to run for king are: Linwood "Woody" Carville, Tom Seavey, John Knowles, and Allen Anderson.

### Classes End Friday

Classes will recess Friday at 11:35 a.m., and the student body will turn to the ski slope on Mt. Olympus,

home of the gods, for intramural, varsity, and women's ski races. Scheduled for Friday afternoon are slalom, downhill, and jumping events.

Friday evening, the annual Ice Revue featuring centaurs, satyrs, and the god of wine and good times, Bacchus, will be given at the MOC skating rink. Jupiter, king of the Olympian Holiday, and Queen Juno will be crowned by President Arthur A. Hauck, with Dick Gardiner as MC.

At 9 p.m. the crowd will adjourn to the Coliseum, otherwise known as the Memorial Gym, for the Intramural (Continued on Page Two)

## Walter White, Noted Executive, To Speak At Assembly Program

Discussions, Movie Scheduled For 1953 Brotherhood Week

By DICK STEPHENS

Dr. Walter White, New York executive secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, will be the featured speaker of the 1953 Brotherhood Week which starts Sunday.

Dr. White will speak at a University

assembly Monday morning on prejudice on the national and international scene, this year's Brotherhood topic. The Rev. Elwin L. Wilson will start the brotherhood observance off with services in the Little Theatre Sunday at 11 o'clock.

### Sinclair To Speak

At the assembly, Clayton Sinclair, co-chairman of the Brotherhood Week Committee with Jean Letourneau, will briefly outline the week's program.

Dr. White has long been active in national affairs, having first gained prominence as assistant secretary of the NAACP in 1918. In 1931 he became executive secretary of the organization, a position which he still holds.

White has served on many important committees, including the executive committee of the National Health Assembly and the National Committee for the Prevention and Control of Juvenile Delinquency. He was a member of the New York Mayor's Committee on Atomic Education, and of the Committee for the Commemoration of the Golden Anniversary of New York.

### Receives Awards

In 1950 White was awarded the Sir James Award from New London Junior College and the Order of Honor and Merit from the government of Haiti.

White is the author of "Lost Boundaries," upon which a movie of the same name was based.

He will be introduced by President Arthur A. Hauck.

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## Blood Quota Set At 375 Pints For University

A quota of 375 pints of blood has been set for the University's second annual blood drive, scheduled March 4-6.

The amount is well above that of the first drive held here last spring. The increase is due primarily to the fact that the Bloodmobile will be on campus a day more than last year, according to Sidney Young, chairman of the drive.

With the extra day as a spur, the campaign workers are aiming at an increased quota of donors over the 1952 total. In order to meet this, the Blood Committee will need at least 600 subscriptions, Young said.

Sponsors of the drive will be the General Student Senate, the Politics and International Relations Club, and the Scabbard and Blade Club. Chairman Young says: "The General student Senate was included as a third sponsor of the 1953 Blood Drive in addition to the original two sponsors, in order to run a more effective program and to enlarge the recruiting staff. However, we will welcome any other interested individuals who feel that they can aid the campaign."

During the past week, committee workers met and outlined various details of the forthcoming blood program. At a meeting Sunday night, subcommittee chairmen were elected to work under general chairman Young.

Heading the subscription committee—with a goal of 600 subscriptions—will be James Murtha, Scabbard and Blade president. William Hirst, president of the General Student Senate, was chosen to head liaison work between various student and faculty groups participating in the drive. Constance Hirst was elected as chairman of the Arrangement Committee.

## Air Raid Warning

Another air raid practice alert will be sounded in Orono this Friday afternoon, according to Prof. H. D. Watson, chairman of the University's Civil Defense Committee.

The alert is scheduled for 1:30 and 2 p.m. and the only public signal will be the white or all clear consisting of three one-minute blasts with two minutes of silence in between.

As was the case in the previous alert, students are instructed to ignore the signals.

## WORO To Broadcast Regularly Beginning Feb. 15 When Special Opening Ceremonies Will Be Held

By BEN PIKE

After several years of ups and downs, radio station WORO will begin a regular broadcasting schedule Sunday with a special program of commemoration at 8 p.m.

Some 24 persons will attend the ceremony, according to David Brezger, chairman of the special program committee. The broadcast will consist of speeches by campus notables and Bangor radio personalities.

Professor T. Russell Woolley will act as master of ceremonies assisted by student announcers Mike Boyd and Ben Pike.

### Campus Officials

Representing the University at the special program will be President Arthur A. Hauck, Howard A. Keyo, publicity director, Philip J. Brockway, director of student aid and placement, Dean Joseph M. Murray, arts and science, Charles E. Crossland, director of student and public relations, and Professor Brooks W. Hamilton, department of journalism.

Radio personalities from Bangor who will attend are the managers of the three radio stations, namely, Edward Guernsey, WLBZ, Murray Carpenter WABI, and Samuel Henderson, WGUY. Members of the alumni working at radio stations in this area who are scheduled to attend are: Bob Arnold, Bill Mincher, and John Wellington of WLBZ, and Bob Patten of WABI.

### Last One For Hauck

Last week's visit of the Armed Forces Bloodmobile to Orono ended with a donation by University President Arthur A. Hauck. President Hauck chose this time to donate a pint of blood since by the time the bloodmobile next visits the campus, Mar. 4-6, he will have reached his 60th birthday. The maximum age for donors is 59.

WORO, which has been in the background—due to lack of funds—since the idea first originated some three years ago, started trial broadcasts to the Elms and Elms Annex last semester. And, up until the present time, broadcasting has been limited to one hour on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Starting Sunday, immediately after the special ceremonies, WORO will be heard Sunday through Friday from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. The programs will consist of recorded popular music, campus news, sports broadcasts, and recorded light-classical music.

The station itself is only heard within a limited area on campus, but the engineering staff of WORO expects to be able to reach most of the campus in the near future. Up until now, the places hearing the programs are the Elms and Elms Annex, buildings five and six, North Dorms, TKE and TEP houses, and Oak, Hannibal Hamlin and Dunn Halls.

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## Nelson B. Jones Named Director Of Memorial Union Building

Nelson B. Jones of Taunton, Mass., has been named to the position of director of the Student Union Building, President Arthur A. Hauck announced today.

Jones is currently the director of the student union building at Brown University. He will commence his duties here March 9.

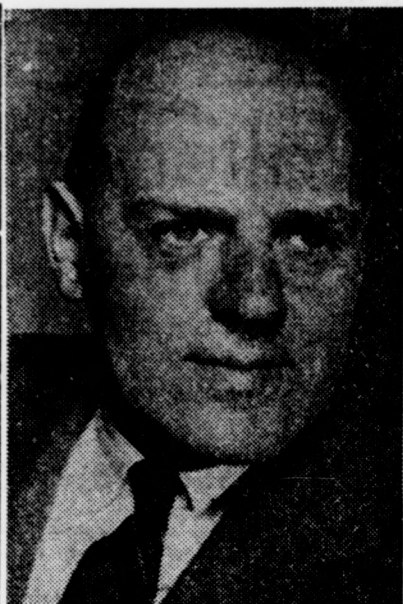
### National Figure

Jones has figured prominently in the national scene being a past president of the Association of College Unions. At the present time he is the New England regional advisor for that organization.

Under his direction the Brown Union has so increased in size and scope that the building housing it has nearly doubled in size. In addition to this work he has been active in other organizations, having served as treasurer of the Committee on Dramatic Productions and director of the University Picture Lending Library and of the Brown University Outing Reservation. Because of his ability to organize and carry out events he has served on many committees at Brown. He has also been active in the Brown Alumni Association.

### Union Duties

As director of the Memorial Union he will be responsible for the supervision of the building's operations, including such things as the food service and the game room. He will also work in cooperation with the student-faculty Union Building committee to develop a program of educational, recreational, and social activities.



Nelson B. Jones

## Audio-Visual Department Prepares For Alterations

Some changes are being made in the audio-visual projection room in the basement of South Stevens, according to Francis S. McGuire, director of plant and facilities.

A new projection room, an asphalt tile floor covering, and new cabinets are being put in. This room will also be painted. The basement corridor will get a new tile ceiling and lighting system.

## Final Call Issued For Prism Photos

Wednesday, Feb. 18, will be the last day that juniors and seniors may be individually photographed in order that their picture may appear in the 1954 Prism.

The Bel-Air Studios of Bangor, Prism photographers, will take portraits at their studios that day of all those upperclassmen who, for any reason, have not been photographed for the Prism.

Prism editor Paul Marcoux states that Feb. 18 will definitely be the last day that the pictures will be taken.

Address of the Bel-Air Studios is 23 Hammond Street.

## Senate Names Members To Head Top '53 Maine Day Committees

Donald Stritch was elected general chairman of the Maine Day committee at the last meeting of the General Student Senate. John Randall will be project chairman and Preston Walters will head the mayoralty campaign.

Other class representatives who will assist in Maine Day preparations are: Philip A. Haskell and William D. Hirst, seniors; Barbara A. Wigger and Janice M. Griswold, juniors; Cynthia Nelson, Paul F. Butler, and Winship Moody, sophomores; and Sandra King, Denis McCarthy, and Hiram S. Bronson, freshmen.

In other matters attended to during

this meeting, Hirst, Senate president, read a letter from Wellesley college inviting Maine to send delegates to a New England All-College conference, a part of the United States National Students' Association, February 27-28.

The conference, at which Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will be guest speaker, will concern "Fundamental Education, A Path To Human Rights."

The Senate voted to send four representatives, plus a member of its committee to study USNSA. They are: Robert C. Oldfield, Sandra Glorsky, Jean Grindle, and Hirst.

### Colby Report

Gorham Hussey and Patrick Dionne reported on the Colby Conference, which they attended, and read the constitution of a proposed Maine Inter-Collegiate Student Government association. The Senate will vote on the proposed association at its next meeting.

Two students were elected to fill Student Union committee positions vacated at mid-semester. Warren Noyes will replace William G. Lindquist, who graduated in February and Isabella Frazier takes over for Eini E. Riutta, who is practice-teaching this semester.

### Blood Committee

Senate members also voted to co-sponsor this year's blood drive with the Politics and International Relations club and the Scabbard and Blade.

Members volunteering to serve on the joint committee were: Noyes, Hirst, Miss Frazier, Walters, Joseph T. Rigo, Miss Wigger, and Chester F. Campbell.

Because of infractions in library rules, Dionne moved that the Senate take action on student identification cards for use in the library and Union Building. The Senate voted to discuss the matter further at its Feb. 17 session.

Something important happening in your club? Let everybody know about it by calling Ext. 242.

## Winter Carnival Activity Grows

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Ball, with music by Al Corey. Jupiter and Juno will receive their trophies during intermission. Admission is \$3.50 per couple, and women students attending the ball will have 2:30 a.m. permissions.

### Sculpture Judging

Saturday morning at 9 a.m. the Snow Sculptures will be judged by a committee of four: Pres. Hauck, Prof. Vincent Hartgen, Jupiter, and Juno. At the same time, an intercollegiate ski meet is planned over on Mt. Olympus, in addition to the annual intramural cross country and novelty ski races.

The spotlight returns to the Coliseum Saturday afternoon where an indoor track meet, the Olympics, is scheduled with Boston University. Included in the events is the Charles Rice Relay. Following the track meet, a basketball game will be played between the frosh and the winner of the Dorm All-Stars vs. the Fraternity All-Stars game to be played this coming Sunday.

### Ski Tog Dance

Another round of activities is planned at the Coliseum Saturday evening as the MOC takes over with

its Ski Tog Dance highlighted by sleigh rides and movies during intermission. The winners of the snow sculpture contest will be announced, with trophies given to the best entry in the women's and men's divisions.

Sunday marks the end of the Olympian Holiday, with a hockey game scheduled for the afternoon.

Tags permitting admission to all events of the week end, with the exception of the Intramural Ball and the Ski Tog Dance, may be purchased for \$.25.

## Cecil Brown Named To New Aggie Post

Cecil S. Brown has been named assistant professor of agronomy and assistant agronomist in the Agricultural Experiment Station, according to an announcement by President Arthur A. Hauck. Brown began his new duties this week.

He was graduated from the University of New Hampshire with a B.S. degree and received his M.S. degree in agriculture from Cornell University.

He has served as a graduate teaching assistant in the agronomy department at Cornell since 1949. A member of Phi Kappa Phi, Brown is married and has no children.

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BY MARGIE THOMAS



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knight

The Theta Chi house was the scene of a wedding Friday, Jan. 30, at 8:00 p.m., when **Jacqueline Thomas** became the bride of **Ralph Knight** in a double ring ceremony performed by the Reverend Alfred G. Hempstead. **Janet Lu Oliver** was the maid of honor and **Dirk Brown** was best man. A reception at the house followed the ceremony at which **Mary Noble** and **Kit Kidder** served.

Alpha Upsilon chapter of Delta Zeta sponsored a tea in the Art Gallery of Carnegie Hall on Sunday afternoon. Sorority and fraternity members and special guests attended the tea which marked the opening of three important exhibitions of the art department. Social chairman of Delta Zeta is **Joan LeTourneau**.

Delta Zeta also held its annual Valentine's Day party for the pledges of the other sororities on campus Feb. 2, in the Balentine Smoker. **Jean Spearin** and **Charlene Swan** were in charge of refreshments; **Katherine Allen** and **Joyce Frates** planned the entertainment. Valentines were exchanged and will be sent to the Children's Hospital in Bangor. Group singing was led by **Ann Martin**.

The Interfraternity Council sponsored a stag dance in the gym, Friday, Feb. 6. There were approximately 250 attending who danced to the music of Al Halliday's orchestra. The gym was decorated with fraternity banners. Chaperons were Dr. and Mrs. **Charles E. Buck**, Dean and Mrs. **John E. Stewart**, and Mr. and Mrs. **Hugh J. Murphy**.

Pinned: **Janice Flood** to **Robert Pike**, **Phi Kap**; **Eleanor Byron** to **Roy Gove**, **TKE**; **Jean Grindell** to **Linwood Carville**, **Phi Mu**; **Judy McCann** to **Earl Mushroe**, **TKE**; **Joan Rifle** to **Don Stevens**, **Beta**; **Gail Lyons** to **Carlton MacLean**, **Sigma Chi**.

Engaged: **Maggie Stewart** to **Carl Perkins**; **Glenn Silver** to **Otis Russell, Jr.**

Married: **Priscilla Arnold**, Stockton Springs, to **Ronald Bishop**; **Jane Berry**, Augusta, to **Elton Nisbet**.

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## Signing Of False Names Worries Head Librarian

The signing out of library reference books under false pretences, which reached a peak during the final examination period, has caused Library officials to search for more stringent means to enforce the present rules.

"One remedy," **Louis T. Ibbotson**, librarian, said this week, "would be for students to carry cards like service identification cards with their pictures and signatures on them."

These cards would probably be used only on reference books and only during prelims and finals.

"What bothers me perhaps more than the loss of the books," Mr. Ibbotson continued, "is the fact other students who need them are unable to get them."

In procuring the books, students signed false names or the names of other students when they took the books out of the reference room. When the loss was discovered, the names given were checked to get addresses and were not found on the student list. In other cases, letters requesting immediate return of books taken were sent to students who didn't take the classes that needed the books. The latter cases resulted from the use of other students' names when signing for books.

The library staff is still trying to find out who signed such names as "Martin Kane" and "Red MacPherson" and then kept the books.

Professors **Kenneth L. Parsons**, **Philip M. Seal** and **Howard A. Crosby** of the department of electrical engineering attended the winter general meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers in the Hotel Statler in New York City during January.

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Look both ways before you cross a street. Don't accept new business proposals. Don't accept proposals of any kind. Be on the lookout for anything that seems peculiar.

The best suggestion for the day is to forget everything that meets your distaste.

Stay in bed and enjoy a good book.

## Dr. Eggert Elected To Two Top Posts

Dr. **Franklin Eggert**, head of the department of horticulture, has been elected to two top positions in regional and national horticulture groups.

At the national meeting of the American Society for Horticulture Science, held Jan. 30-31 at Harvard University, Dr. Eggert was elected to the executive committee.

Dr. Eggert was also elected vice chairman of the New England Horticulture Association, and will assume the chairmanship next year.

Dr. Eggert presented two papers at the Harvard meeting: **Mulching and Fertility Trials on McIntosh Apples**, and **Effect of Rhizome Cutting on Lowbush Blueberry Yields**.

**Ronald Perry** has been elected president of **Kappa Sigma** fraternity. Other officers for 1953 are: **James Young**, vice president; **Charles Galbo**, secretary; and **Joseph Carneau**, treasurer.

## Dr. Walter White To Be Speaker On Brotherhood

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The film, "Lost Boundaries," will be shown in the Louis Oakes Room in the Library Monday. Two showings will take place in the afternoon, at 1:30 and 3:15 p.m. An evening showing will be held at 7:30 p.m.

**Panels Planned**  
Panel discussions are planned for Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons in the Louis Oakes Room at 3:45 p.m. The topic of the Tuesday afternoon discussion will be "Prejudice on the National Scene." Wednesday's topic will be "Prejudice on the International Scene."

A discussion on fraternities and sororities and their relationship to Brotherhood Week is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday evening. Another discussion on Wednesday evening will have as its topic, "Maine Varieties of Prejudices." Participants for these panels have not yet been chosen.

Church and other organizations plan group conferences and discussions.

## Varsity Singers Featured In Old Town Musical

The Varsity Singers, directed by **James Selwood**, were the featured attraction at the Music Night meeting of the Our Neighbor club of Old Town.

The program featured 16th century music including Italian, French, and English madrigals, and two solos from **La Boheme** sung by **Patricia Gill** accompanied at the piano by **Lois Leckly**.

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Second Feature  
"LAST TRAIN FROM BOMBAY"  
**John Hall**  
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## STRAND ORONO

Thurs., Feb. 12

**Dean Jagger, Irene Dunn**  
"IT GROWS ON TREES"  
6:30—8:30  
Feature 6:50—8:50

Fri. & Sat., Feb. 13-14

**Alan Ladd, Virginia Mayo**  
"IRON MISTRESS"  
Sat. Matinee 2:30; 6:30—8:30

Sun. & Mon., Feb. 15-16

**Bing Crosby, Bob Hope**  
Technicolor  
"ROAD TO BALI"  
Sun. Matinee 3:00; 6:30—8:30  
Feature 3:34—6:50—8:50

Tues. & Wed., Feb. 17-18  
**Judy Canova, Stephen Dunne**  
"WAC FROM WALA WALA"  
6:30—8:30  
Feature 7:00—9:00

Thurs., Feb. 19

**Carleton Carpenter, Janet Leigh**  
"FEARLESS FAGIN"  
6:30—8:30  
Feature 7:00—9:00



## Editorial

### Our Kind Of Man

It has not been the policy of this newspaper to devote editorial space to the activities which take place in and around this office. But this week we shall depart from policy somewhat to speak briefly of an event which took place on these premises last Saturday morning, then follow-up with comment on an event which has taken place here since the semester began.

We have all, at one time or another, heard the saying that "So-and-So" is a man we can be proud of... or "So-and-So" is a man this state can be proud of. But it is seldom we have an opportunity to meet "our man" informally, to talk with him, and be certain that he is, indeed, all we have always thought him to be.

Last Saturday, the staff members of this paper met "their man"... a man who has been on this campus before... a man whose name is respected wherever it is known.

Dr. Harold Cross of Cornville, Maine (just outside of Skowhegan), is a newspaper lawyer who has risen to the top of his field. Perhaps no other man is more informed on the intricacies of newspaper libel, and certainly no other man has tried harder to educate active, as well as student, newspapermen with the laws which have been designed to protect them and their readers.

We have listed Dr. Cross' home as Cornville only because we know it would be his choice. A native of New York, Dr. Cross spent a good deal of time looking for his type of "home" and found it in Cornville. Since that time he has been painfully careful that his residence be listed as "Cornville."

Dr. Cross was in this office last Saturday morning and lectured for more than two hours on newspaper libel. He told us... students of journalism... what libel actually was... the stories which cause the majority of libel suits... the different mistakes that are made in interpreting the law... and lastly, the defenses which may be used to ward off libel suits.

Dr. Cross is a former instructor in newspaper libel at Columbia University. He still lectures to prospective newspapermen at that University. He is a former lawyer for the New York Herald Tribune and is still consulted regularly by that newspaper. At present, he is engaged in studies for the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

Dr. Cross is the top man in his field, but unlike so many other men who have gone to "the head of the class" he has never become overpowered by the so-called "surge to fame and fortune." He is a Mainiac by choice and spends as much time in his state as possible.

Dr. Cross came to this campus last Saturday to impart to us some of the knowledge he has acquired through many years of study. Unlike many another lecturer, his services were entirely voluntary. It was a familiar scene... something "our man" has been doing for years...

A new semester has begun and by the same token, a few new people are beginning to make themselves known here in *The Campus* office. It happens every 20 weeks or so... three, four, sometimes five trickle in... but never as many as we would like to have.

These new people, of course, are those innocent souls who deigned to venture up the mysterious staircase just to the right as you enter the Bookstore. And if they stopped on the second floor, they found an atmosphere that is hectic as it is congenial.

We welcome these new people. Putting out a weekly newspaper involves a whale of a lot of work and needless to say, it requires more than just a few people to carry out the required assignments.

Many times in the past we've said, "the door is always open" and if you'll pardon us, we'll say it again.

Basically we want more help but foremost we want more people to take an active interest in campus activities. And to our way of thinking, there's no better way to become acquainted with what is going on than by telling other people about it.

## The Maine Campus

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## Opinionettes

Question:

"What suggestions do you have for an alternate program for the Winter Carnival Weekend in case there is no snow?"



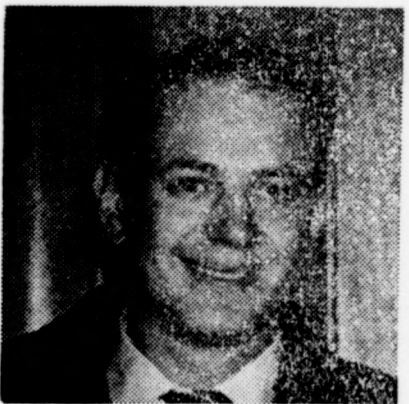
Anne Clark, '56—"The Winter Carnival Committee should set up an alternate program which could be put into operation, such as group games and a buffet supper in the gym, followed by the Ski Tog dance.



Charles Barrett, '53—"The Intramural Ball and Ski Tog dance could be held as scheduled. On Saturday afternoon fraternities could have open houses and buffet suppers followed by dances and hay rides."



Sue Bogert, '56—"Coming from New Jersey, I'd say make the snow sculptures out of mud. (We really do down there.)"



Dennis Hawkes, '53—"A good alternate program would be to substitute floats on the same carnival theme to take the place of the snow sculptures."

Vance Bakeman, '53—"The time that would have been spent on snow sculptures could be used for University projects. Ladies choice hay rides could be sponsored by the girls' dorms Saturday afternoon."

Charlotte Gelinas, '54—"I still think we should have the Winter Carnival. Other events could replace the snow sports and sculptures. How about indoor sports-co-recreation in the gym, and exchange suppers with the men and women's dorms, for instance?"

## The Seeing I

### New Light On A Dark Subject

By DICK STEPHENS

Splash!

I just jumped off the deep end of the ladle, and I'll probably end up in a cauldron of boiling fat... But a man has to say what's on his mind once in a while, and I'd like to unload what I have on mine—on a rather ticklish subject.

The topic of food distribution and quality in the Men's cafeterias has long been the center of heated discussion on campus, especially with the people who eat there. So, I've cooked up a few solutions to the problem myself...

Why doesn't the University of Maine look into the feeding methods of several other colleges and universities across the nation who use systems of meal tickets on a weekly scale? The answer?... "The University would lose money."

Actually, the University loses money now in the meal department, if the discarded food in the well-filled garbage containers of the New Cafeteria and Commons are any criteria. Most

of what is thrown away has to be counted as a real factor on the red side of the ledger. It seems to me that if students at least had the choice of eating or not eating—without the students losing their money in the deal—there would be less waste. The University and students would save money, and the students would certainly be much happier.

This weekly ticket system that I speak about could work like this: each ticket would be numbered from one to twenty-one, and the numbers corresponding to the meals eaten would be punched as the student entered the chow line. At the end of the week the University would refund the money for the meals the students didn't eat.

To solve the problem of supply and demand a weekly menu—similar to the ones used in the Women's dorms—could be posted.

It is obvious here that if the sale of food depended upon the quality of the same, the University chow halls would be conspicuously vacant each time mealtimes rolled around.

## Off-Campus Comments

### Paper Hearts To Warm Blood

By BOB OSTREICHER

Another Valentine's Day... and there's a tear in my eye... 'cause all I've found in my mail this week is a cheerless card from the finance company. And any fool can see that all they love me for is my money. (sigh)

Somebody is spying on me! How do I know? Well, for the last few weeks, every time I decide to splurge down at the A. and P... and I buy something more expensive than hamburger for supper, all the chow-hounds who have my address mysteriously appear at my door 'round mealtimes.

Incidentally, don't let this get around... but about two months ago I rashly mentioned the word *Hollywood* in front of Bub Pert—and foolishly promised to obtain an autographed picture of Marilyn Monroe (avec clothes) for the boy. Do you think he let me forget it? Not on your life! It has cost me three telegrams, two letters, and several dubious contacts on the coast to find out what probably anyone who has read Bub's columns could have told me long ago: that Mr. Pert thinks he is DiMaggio's strongest rival for the attention of that beloved cutie! Maybe I oughta simplify things and mail Pert to Miss Monroe's studio?

No, I never wintered in Korea...

and I'm so skinny that any wound I received would hardly need more than a shot glass of plasma to replenish my blood supply. But it's this reporter's comment that Sid Young and his gang could use a little help in putting this forthcoming Blood Drive over... let's say about 375 helpers. Frankly, I think that 375 is a pretty measly expectation, when you stop and consider that ALL the 2,900 enrollees here have SOME kind of fluid in their veins that could be easily spared. Huh?

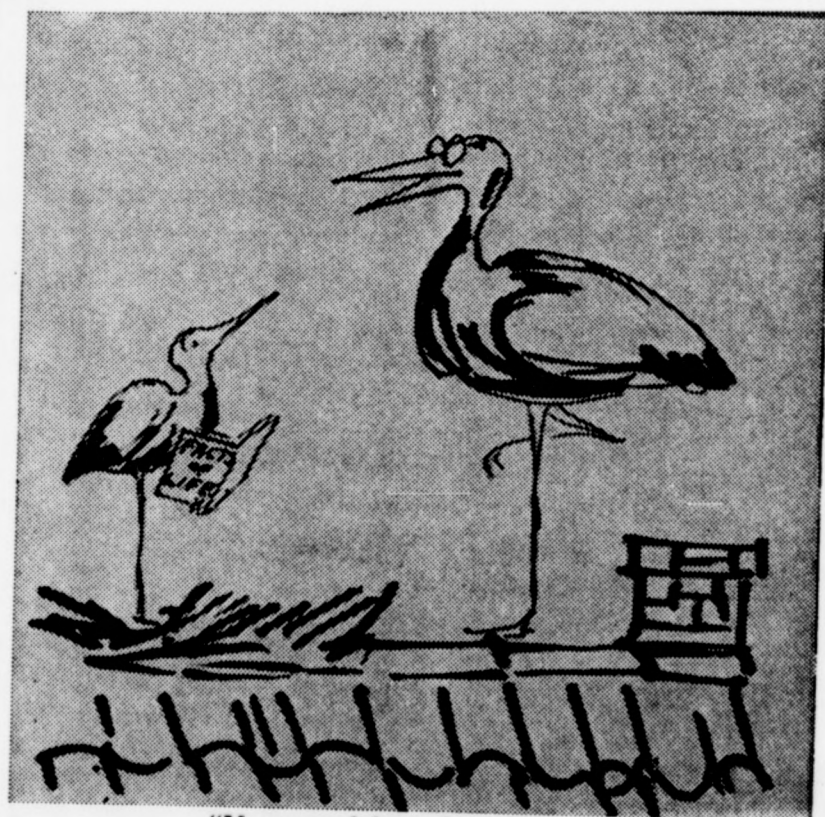
## Correspondence

To The Editor: I think the *Campus* editor has a lot of nerve in printing an editorial praising Maine students for blood donating. 260 pints of blood sounds pretty poor and if this is a record in the state, it's still not a record to brag about.

I for one think that the record at Maine is bad and your playing it up as if it was a wonderful achievement is worse.

Say, who is A.F.S. anyway? He should be ashamed to put his initials to that editorial.

K. D. BOEHNER



"Yes, a stork brought you, but..."



# Conversation Market Is Not Completely Cornered By Women As Existence Of Male Club Proves

BY RALPH CLARK

Here is a boost for coed ego, for proof exists that it isn't always the gals that do all the talking. In fact, there is a club on campus, composed entirely of male faculty members, called the Conversation Club.

The club, which is the oldest faculty club on campus, was organized on April 12, 1897, the same year that the name of the school was changed from Maine State College to the University of Maine, and the year that the national honorary scholastic society, Phi Kappa Phi, was founded.

## First Numbered 17

Organized for "conversational purposes," the club was originally composed of 17 members, which included all the men on the faculty that held the title of professor or assistant professor.

Today, there are two surviving original members of the Conversation Club.

Nathan C. Grover, class of 1890, the first president of the club, is now living in Washington, D. C.

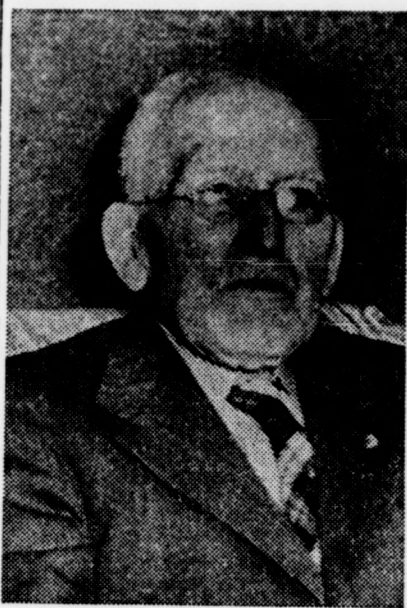
Dean James N. Hart, the other surviving original member, now lives in Orono and has had a long and distinguished career on the University campus. Graduated from the University in 1885, Dean Hart is now Dean Emeritus of the University and Professor Emeritus of mathematics and astronomy. He has filled the offices of instructor, department head, Dean of the University, and Director of Admissions.

He has served under seven of the eight presidents of the University, and at one time served as acting-president himself.

## University Growth

Possessing a very keen memory, Dean Hart can remember when the towns of Old Town and Orono bought two farms to induce the state to establish a school where the present University now stands. He has seen the number of students rise from 100 to more than 4,000 during the G. I. times.

Belonging to QTV fraternity, Dean Hart remembers having his fraternity meetings in upstairs Coburn Hall. This hall served a dual purpose. It



Dean James N. Hart

was used downstairs for a classroom. Later, QTV became affiliated with Phi Gamma Delta.

President A. W. Harris, then head of the University, and Charles D. Woods, director of the experiment station, were the instigators of the Conversation Club. Dean Hart said, "We didn't miss having a meeting every month including summer. Now we meet seven times a year." The meetings were preceded by suppers at the host's home.

## Original Rules

When the club first started, one of the rules was that "each member should pay to the host \$.25, and the ladies of the members were requested to make the suppers simple in order to cover the cost," Dean Hart said.

At each meeting, one of the members presents a topic of discussion. This topic must not have any affiliation with the field of the speaker. A

mathematics professor, for instance, must not speak on mathematics.

The early club records show a wide diversity of subjects that were presented. Discussions ranged from postage stamps, prohibition, and the jury system to college athletics, government control of marriage relations, and socialism. It is interesting to note the topic of Dec. 22, 1899: "Is not another great war impossible?"

The meeting of May 1, 1902, found the gentlemen adjourning at 8:15 p.m. "to see the young women of the college play basketball."

## Expanded Membership

Due to the expanding number of professors and assistant professors, the club membership limit has risen from 17 to 25. Meetings are still held monthly, but the dues per meeting have risen to \$.50. Suppers have been eliminated since World War II and desserts have now taken their place.

Once a year, ladies' night is held, and a special program is presented. It is also a custom at the club meeting before the annual town meeting in Orono, to discuss the town's problems and the proposed warrant.

The present president of the club is Prof. Hamilton Gray, soils engineer. Prof. Benjamin Speicher, head of the zoology department, is current secretary.

# Calendar

## FRIDAY, FEB. 13

9:45 a.m.—Military Service Committee, Louis Oakes Room

8 p.m.—Freshman Club stag dance

## SATURDAY, FEB. 14

8:15 p.m.—Connecticut vs. Maine, Memorial Gym

## SUNDAY, FEB. 15

3 p.m.—Alpha Omicron Pi Mother-Daughter Tea, Balentine Lounge

4 p.m.—Madrigal Singers, Carnegie Foyer

6 p.m.—Brotherhood Week Banquet, Estabrooke

## MONDAY, FEB. 16

3:45 p.m.—Panhellenic Council, Carnegie Committee Room

7 p.m.—Intramural Basketball, Memorial Gym

## TUESDAY, FEB. 17

7 p.m.—General Student Senate, Carnegie Lounge

7 p.m.—Square Dance Club, Women's Gym

7 p.m.—Intramural Basketball, Memorial Gym

## WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18

7 p.m.—Modern Dance Club, Women's Gym

7 p.m.—Intramural Basketball, Memorial Gym

## THURSDAY, FEB. 19

7 p.m.—Tumbling Club, Women's Gym

8:15 p.m.—Rhode Island vs. Maine, Memorial Gym

# IFC To Publish Frosh Booklet Next Week

A pamphlet published by the Interfraternity Council will be ready for distribution to all freshman men early next week.

The 24-page booklet was produced as a brief introduction to the fraternity system at Maine and discusses such things as the purposes of the greek-letter fraternities, and the IFC, its functions and objects.

The major portion of the brochure is devoted to descriptions of the individual fraternities on campus, their size nationally, the number of members, and other information which might be of interest to prospective rushees. Included with these writeups are pictures of the houses and their official badges. The 1953 rushing rules are incorporated in the pamphlet.

The booklet was made financially possible by the IFC constitutional provision that all fraternities be assessed one dollar for each man they pledge.

Dr. Roland A. Struchtemeyer, head of the agronomy department of the Agricultural Experiment Station, discussed soil research in Maine at a meeting of the Northeast Soils Research Committee in New York.

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## Fifteen Schools To Participate In Debate Tourney

The fifth annual Maine High School Debate Tournament will be held here this weekend. Fifteen schools are expected to attend.

The proposition for debate will be, "Resolved: That the Atlantic Pact Nations Should Form a Federal Union."

The events will commence at 1 p.m. Friday, with registration in the Oakes Room in the Library. Debates will run through Friday and Saturday.

The tournament will be divided into varsity and novice divisions. Each school may enter three teams in each division. There are now 35 teams entered in the varsity division and 19 in the novice. The teams are prepared to debate both sides of the question. A trophy will be awarded to the winning school.

Prof. Wofford Gardner, head of the speech department, said that students connected with the Maine Debating

## Pottery Exhibit On Display In Carnegie

By MORT CAPLAN

Three new exhibitions were opened to the public Sunday afternoon at a tea given by the Delta Zeta Sorority at Carnegie Hall. Of the three, the one most likely to arouse public interest is the exhibition of contemporary glassware and ceramics.

It represents the pick of forty personal collections and contains examples of the work of some of the world's outstanding potters. Consisting of about 200 pieces, the exhibition was assembled by Prof. Vincent

A. Hartgen, chairman of the art department, from the collections of faculty members and residents of nearby communities.

### Far East Pieces

Among the most interesting pieces in the show are several which were brought back from the far east by Colonel Curtis D. Renfro, head of the military department. One of these is a bowl made by Yoshiri Hamada, who is considered by many art au-

thorities to be the world's finest potter.

Also represented among the exhibits is a sample of Steuben glass. Anyone who has never before seen this type of glass, will be amazed by its flawless brilliance and crystal transparency. It is as far removed from ordinary window glass as is a diamond from coal.

### New England Display

Also on display is the work of five New England potters who have won international reputations. This includes the Dykmans, a husband and wife team, who made the tea set which was Canada's gift to King George and Queen Elizabeth.

The other four are Albert Scheer, Elizabeth Crawford, Denis Vibert, and Charles Abbot. Their names are unfamiliar to the layman, but to the expert their work is as identifiable as a painting by Reubens.

Although it is now too late to be served tea and cookies by the young ladies from Delta Zeta, the exhibition is well worth seeing, and will run until Saturday, Feb. 14.

### Plans Extension Courses

Dr. Frank Foster, professor of education, will teach extension courses in Windham and Kittery during the spring semester, Dean Mark R. Shibles, director of the University General Extension Division, has announced.

The course will cover current plans of curriculum revision and reorganization and will emphasize plans for bringing the curriculum into harmony with the needs of modern life.

Council and Pi Kappa Delta, will assist in the tournament.

Two out-of-state schools are participating in the tournament. They are Laconia in New Hampshire and Mission Church High in Roxbury, Mass. Other schools are Thornton Academy, Bar Harbor, Bucksport, Stearns, Old Town, Edward Little, St. Dominic's for Boys, Oakfield, Bangor, Brewer, Lewiston, Orono, and Pemetic.

## Madrigal Group Set For Spring Concert Series

In the second annual Spring Concert Series, the University music department will present the Madrigal Singers in a program of Italian, French, and English madrigals Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the Carnegie Hall Foyer.

Under the direction of James Gordon Selwood, the group will devote a portion of the program to the works of Orlando di Lasso, renowned Netherland composer of the 16th Century.

Another section will be devoted to the ballads and madrigals of Thomas Morley of the English School. This group includes some of the composer's most popular and melodious works.

Three madrigals of Italian origin will open the program, while the final group will be drawn from the works of English, German, and Italian composers.

Members of the Madrigal Singers are: Patricia Gill, Charlotte Moreshead, Gloria Plissey, Susan Chase, sopranos; Judith Hight, Judith Pasetto, Sylvia Johnson, Janice Judkins, altos; Ronald Dow, Bradford Payne, tenors; Clark Sundin, Robert Hutchinson, Robert Arnold, basses.

## Masque Players To Star In Orono Benefit Show

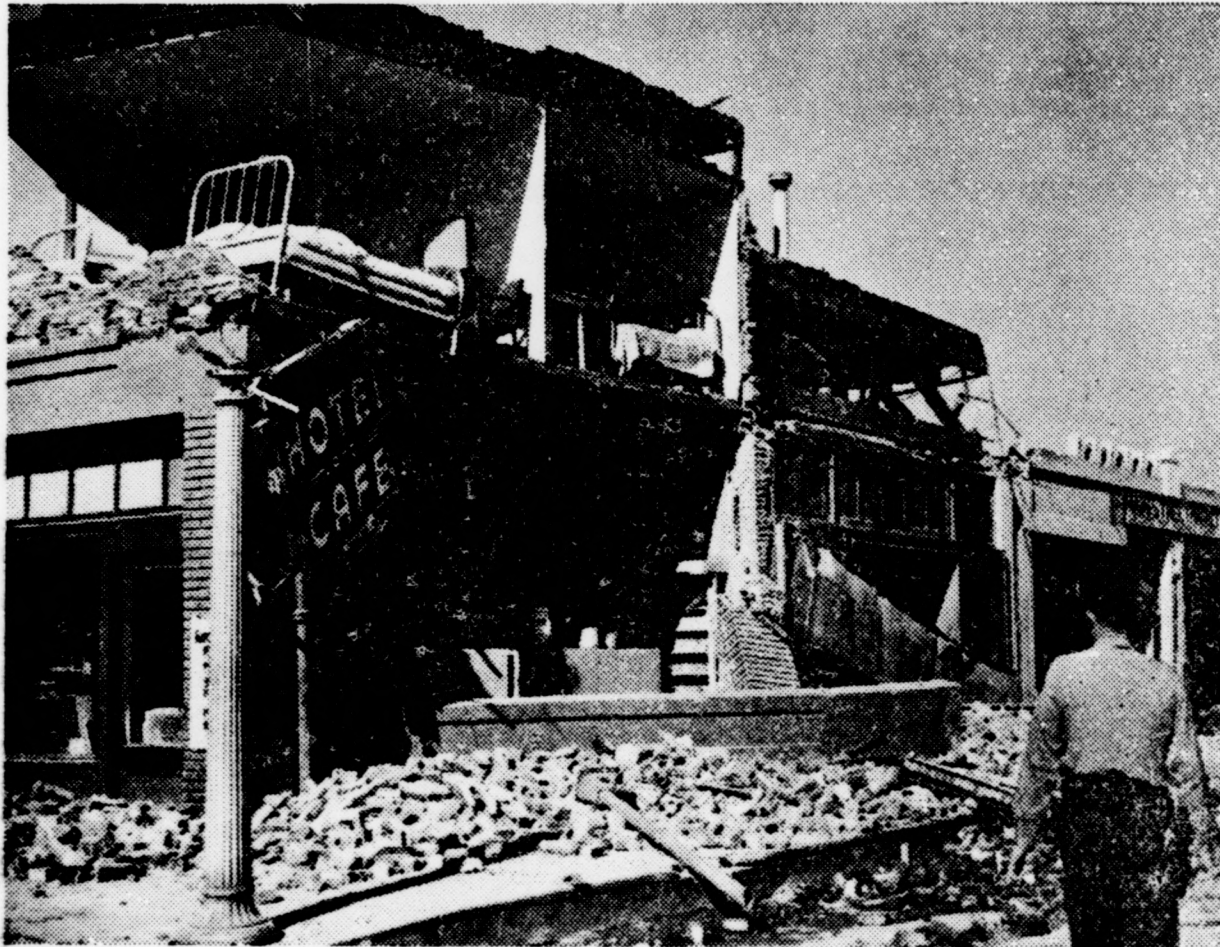
One of the main features of the annual March of Dimes Variety Show in the Orono Town Hall Saturday evening will be the presentation of Thornton Wilder's "The Happy Journey to Camden and Trenton."

The play will be under the direction of Martin Gerrish, Maine Masque veteran. The variety show is under the direction of Prof. Herschel Brickner.

The Varsity Singers, under the direction of James Selwood, will present six numbers as part of the program, which will begin at 8 p.m.

## Beta Theta Pi Officers

Richard Anderson has been elected president of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. Other officers for 1953 are: James Orino, vice president; Joseph Young, recording secretary; Paul Stevens, secretary; John Mastrobattista, treasurer; Robert Worthing, social chairman; and Edward Carleton, housing manager.



Street scene in Tehachapi after last July's earthquake.

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By 8:30 A.M. telephones were set up on the edge of town for use by the Red Cross and other emergency workers.

By late afternoon, the telephone switchboard was working. Tehachapi residents were able to contact friends and relatives concerned about their safety.

By 9 P.M. two TV stations were sending live telecasts of the damage. Telephone men had established a radio-relay system in less than 12 hours.

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## Math Department To Give \$50 Prize

A cash prize of \$50.00 will be awarded to the freshman student who receives the highest rank in a special examination to be given Feb. 23 by the department of mathematics.

The exam will be given at 7 p.m. in Room 6, South Stevens.

To be known as the Freshman Algebra Prize, the award has been made possible by a gift donated by Dr. Thomas Buck '01.

Dr. Buck, an instructor in mathematics at the University from 1902 to 1906, is a native of Orono, Maine. He did graduate work at the University of Chicago where he earned his Ph.D. degree in 1909. He taught at the University of California as a professor of mathematics for many years and also taught for two years at the University of Illinois.

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## Bear Facts

BY KEITH RUFF

With the wear and tear of final exams ended and a new semester underway, we can get back on the sports scene with a sigh of relief. The men of Rome have only two home games left on their schedule—the UConn Huskies and the Rhody Rams. These two, with the possible exception of Colby, are the toughest tussles on the Bear slate. Connecticut's potent "no-star" court combine is high up in Eastern basketball circles and holds the sunspot in Yankee Conference play.

The key to Connecticut's successful court campaign has been the equal spread of scoring. All five of Coach Hugh Greer's starters have kicked in over 100 counters to the Husky point collection. Captain Lou Orlando, Worthy Patterson, Art Quimby and company have rolled over some of the best teams in New England this season including Yale, Boston College, Brown, and Rhode Island. From here, it looks as though the UConn's will have little trouble wrapping up their fifth YC title in six years. Only Rhode Island has been able to break the championship monopoly held by Connecticut since the 1947-48 season. Maine, with a 3-1 record in YC play to date, is in second place and could well be there at season's end.

A full slate of sports activity is on tap for Maine Winter Carnival weekend with track and basketball competition scheduled in addition to the skiing events. Bob Hollway's yearling hoopsters will get things started Thursday evening, Feb. 19, at Memorial Gym when they entertain Higgins in a 6:15 court clash. The varsity court cluster will take over at 8:15 when they play the potent Rhode Island Rams in their last home game of the season.

Skiing will take the spotlight Friday afternoon as varsity, intramural and women's ski competition gets underway on the slope across the Stillwater River. Ted Curtis' varsity snowskimmers will go against Bowdoin and Colby in downhill, slalom and jumping events while fraternity skiers will be vying for intramural honors. The female snowbirds will be out to win honors for their individual dorms. Cross country, ski dashes and novelty races will take place Saturday morning for varsity and intramural skiers as well as the gals.

Chet Jenkins' varsity indoor track team goes into action at 1:30 Saturday afternoon when it plays host to the powerhouse Terrier squad from Boston University. Also on the track agenda is a 4-man relay race slated for 3:30. The relay, a four lap affair with each man taking one turn around the track, is open to any 4-man team wishing to enter. The Charles Rice trophy will be awarded to the winning combination.

A fraternity League all-star team will take on the Dormitory League all-stars in a 3:00 game at Memorial Gym this Sunday. The winner of this contest will play against Bob Hollway's Freshman hoop team after the Maine-B.U. track meet. A Sunday afternoon hockey game will close out the busy sports weekend.

**Just Jottings:** Despite a relatively low point output in the last couple of games, John Norris ranks seventh among the nation's small-college scorers with a 23.9 average—Keith Mahaney's accuracy from the foul line has placed him twelfth among small-college foul shooters with a 79.3 average—Besides a local Connecticut radio station, WHUS, the UConn student station will be here to broadcast the Maine-Husky contest on Saturday.

Maine holds 5 basketball wins and 37 losses against the University of Connecticut Huskies since the two teams began rivalry in 1921.

## Varsity Runners Host To UNH Team Saturday

Coach Chester Jenkins will send his Black Bear thin clads after their second straight win of the indoor track season at 1:30 Saturday afternoon against a strong Wildcat team from the University of New Hampshire.

The Maine cindermen romped over Bates 75½ to 41½ early last month for their first win of the season but, according to Jenkins, will find the going a little tougher against the Wildcat tracksters.

Last year, Coach Jenkins' cinder crew squeezed by the boys from Durham in the final events. In meets this season, New Hampshire has also walloped Bates by almost the same margin as Maine did.

Men to watch on the Wildcat squad will be Campbell, YC quarter-mile champ; Carlson, YC one-mile champ; Guittar, Roy and Lindburg in the weights; Potter and Bolton in the hurdles; Ludwig in the pole vault event; and Webber in the two mile race.

Showing the way for the Jenkinsmen will be hurdle and dash ace, Bill Calkin; Bogdanovich and Maxwell in the weights; Touchette in the hurdles and broad jump; Haskell, Dearing, and Perry in the distance running events; Lincoln and Weatherbee in the pole vault, and Nielson in the 50-yard dash.

## Frosh Tracksters Face Deering High

Maine's undefeated freshman track team will be looking for win number four when it plays host to the Deering High School cinder squad during the Maine-New Hampshire meet here Saturday.

Coach Jenkins' yearlings have chalked up track victories over the Sophomores, Bates Frosh, and South Portland High School so far this season.

The Bear Cubs have shown plenty of balance and scoring punch in their first three outings and have never really been pressed in any of their meets to date. Rouvalis, Rearick, and Symans have shown class in the hurdles and Johnson, Cutcliffe, and Peterson have led the way in the weight events. Hanson, Firlotte, Furrow, Morrill, Hooper, Erwin, and Knott give Coach Jenkins one of his best crews of Freshman distance runners ever. Hartpence and Dow are good for points in the high jump and broad jump while Harlow and Claxton have flashed in the pole vault and 300-yards run respectively.

## Within The Walls

BY MOE HICKEY

Little change was made in the Fraternity division of the Intramural Basketball league as play resumed after semester finals. Kappa Sig is still in the driver's seat with a spotless 9-0 mark, they face their severest test tonight at Memorial Gym when they play second place Phi Mu who is right on the heels of Kappa Sig with another unblemished record of 7 wins & no losses.

SAE crept back into contention with wins over ATO and TKE to take over third spot and stand to gain more ground when Kappa Sig and Phi Mu meet tonight.

Beta held on to fourth position by squeaking past Phi Gam 68-66 while ATO still was in fifth place followed by Theta Chi in sixth place.

In the Non-Fraternity division North Dorm 5 whipped Corb 4 to the tune of 53-29 to maintain their grip on the sunberth in the American league. Corbett 1 added two wins to climb into second place while North Dorm 7

clipped NHHH 46-36 to take third place.

In the National league Dunn 2 was idle but still led the league with a four win ledger. Dunn 3 and 4 and Newman all added wins to remain in a three way deadlock for second place.

### FRATERNITY LEAGUE

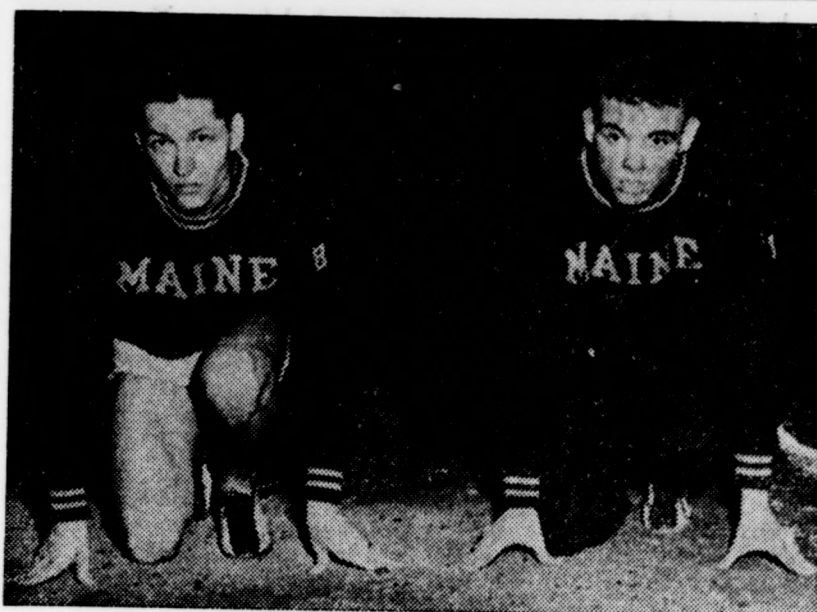
Team	Won	Lost
KS	9	0
PMD	7	0
SAE	9	1
Beta	7	1
ATO	6	2
TC	6	3

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Dunn 2	4	0
Newman	4	1
Dunn 3	4	1
Dunn 4	4	1
Dunn 1	4	2

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
ND 5	5	0
Corb 1	5	1
ND 7	4	1
Grads	3	1



Ed Touchette (1) and Bill Calkin, two of Coach Jenkins' crack hurdlers, get ready for a fast start at the field house. Calkin was the high point getter for Phi Eta in the Charles Rice Trophy Meet Saturday, and Calkin was the big winner for Sigma Chi.

Photo by Snell

## Phi Eta Kappa And Sigma Chi Take Intramural And Rice Honors

BY KEITH RUFF

Phi Eta took top Intramural Track honors and Sigma Chi captured the Charles Rice Cup in the Charles Rice and Intramural Track Meet at the field house Saturday.

Phi Eta racked up 42 points to retain the Intramural Trophy while Sigma Chi was gathering 51 points to win the Charles Rice Cup.

From the beginning it was a battle between the Phi Eta thinclads and the cindermen from Sigma Chi for both trophies; and when the events were completed, Sigma Chi had outscored the Green and White, 51 to 33, for possession of the Rice Trophy while the Intramural scores were reversed, 42 to 36, in Phi Eta's favor.

Bill Calkin was the big gun for Sigma Chi with four firsts in the Rice competition and two wins in the Intramurals. Calkin won top Rice honors in the high and low hurdles, 50-yard dash and 300-yard run for 20 points. Teammate Carleton MacLean backed Calkin's performance with wins in the one and two-mile runs and a second in the 1000-yard run for 13 points. Brad Maxwell added six points to the Sigma Chi total when he won the hammer throw and took third in the shot put.

Ed Touchette and "Coke" Haskell with 22 points between them sparked Phi Eta in its bid for the Rice Cup. Touchette took first in the broad jump, second in the high and low hurdles, and third in the 300-yard run for a total of 12 points. Haskell won both the 1000-yard run and the 600-yard run for 10 points.

Although Sigma Chi copped six firsts in Intramural competition to

only two firsts for Phi Eta, the Phi Eta squad cleaned up on second and third place finishes to win by six points.

Kappa Sigma, with Cianchette, Maher, and Pluta paving the way, scored 20 points in a strong bid for Intramural honors while Lambda Chi, led by Shea and Meyer, was close behind with 19 points.

The Freshman team was the second highest scoring team in the meet with 45 points but was not eligible for either cup.

Here are the final standings in both the Charles Rice and Intramural competition with the points scored by each fraternity:

**Charles Rice Cup**—Sigma Chi (51), Phi Eta (33), Kappa Sigma (13), Lambda Chi (12), Phi Mu (7), ATO (4), Beta (3½), and Phi Kap (2).

**Intramural Trophy**—Phi Eta (42), Sigma Chi (36), Kappa Sigma (20), Lambda Chi (19), Beta (11½), Phi Mu (10), Phi Kap (7), ATO (3), and Alpha Gam (2½).

## Women's Sports

BY PEGGY GIVEN

The WAA will again be the sponsoring organization for the Winter Carnival women's sports events. Alice Rinehart, winter sports manager, has conducted a poll to determine those activities in which the greatest number of girls plan to participate and the events will be scheduled accordingly.

Barb Knox became the winner of the annual ping-pong singles tournament last week by defeating Peggy Flynt. Priscilla Ames won the consolation match. The doubles tournament sign-up sheets are now posted and the play off will start next week.

The Elms defeated Balentine, 29-14, to win the dorm basketball crown. A 23-13 win over South Estabrooke put the West Hall I team in third place. As a result of this tournament the Elms gained five points toward the dorm cup while Balentine received three and West Hall one. The class tournament will start Monday.

Maine's 81-79 basketball victory over Rhode Island on Jan. 5 marked only the third time since the series began in 1909 that the Rams have bowed to a University of Maine court combine.

## Connecticut Next Foe Of Hoop Squad

### Open Final Phase With 7-4 Record

BY MOE HICKEY

Maine's Black Bear basketball squad swings into its final phase of the court season when it confronts highly touted University of Connecticut, rated second among New England colleges, Saturday night in Memorial Gym.

Maine goes into the final set with a formidable 7 win and 4 loss record, but will have to play top notch ball to improve this record Saturday night.

### Rankin Hopeful

"Exams and the extended layoff have dulled Maine's team play somewhat, but if the boys have a good night," says head coach Rome Rankin, "Maine will stand a good chance of upsetting Connecticut." Rankin said his court cluster hit its peak against Bates college when the two teams met before semester finals.

Connecticut holds a previous 87 to 66 verdict over Maine; the largest margin of victory over Maine by any team.

Breen Bernard, a reserve guard who saw plenty of service, has decided to devote more time to studies, and will be lost for the season. However, Maine's chances received a big boost by the return of Woody Carville. Capt. Carville missed the Bates game, suffering from an injured ankle. Alan Philbrick, also out with injuries, will join the squad soon, and will bolster Maine's reserve strength.

### Bates Tuesday

Maine travels to Lewiston Tuesday and will try to garner its second straight win over the Bob Cats who are currently tied with Maine for second place in State Series competition.

On Thursday night the University of Rhode Island will invade Memorial Gym seeking revenge for an earlier 81 to 79 setback administered by Rankin's charges. Maine's win over the Rams was the first in many a year, and the Bears will try and make it two straight.

Rankin will use virtually the same men who have seen the bulk of action this year. Johnny Norris, who has dropped to seventh place among the nation's small college scorers with a 23.9 average as reported by the latest NCAA figures, will bear the brunt of the Bear offense. Carville, whose rebounding was severely missed in the Bates game, and Bob Churchill are probably starters at the forward slots.

Keith Mahaney, who reached his peak against Bates, John Dana, and Bob Nixon will share the back court duties. Mahaney was listed twelfth among the small colleges men with a free throw percentage of 79.4.

## Colby Winter Carnival Next For Varsity Skiers

After a fine third-place showing in the Eastern Intercollegiate at Lyndonville, Vermont, Saturday, the Maine ski team will compete in the Colby Winter Carnival at Waterville this week end.

Coach Curtis will take an eight-man squad to the Mayflower Hill campus to go against teams from MIT, Massachusetts, and Colby.

Wes Scrone won the Eastern Intercollegiate cross country race over a field of more than 50 competitors at Lyndonville last week end and teammate Ralph Chase made the longest standing jump of the meet. Bowdoin won the meet and also carried off its second straight Maine State championship. Harvard finished second ahead of Maine.

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## Informal Pucksters Maul Bates Sextet 8 To 1 At St. Doms Arena

Maine's informal hockey team soundly trounced the Bates college sextet 8 to 1 at the St. Dominic Arena in Lewiston Saturday during the Bates Winter Carnival. The game was the first of the year for Maine.

The Maine pucksters are now prepping for the Bowdoin game slated for Feb. 23 at Brunswick. On Mar. 5 the Maine team will cross sticks with St. Doms High, state schoolboy champs and perennial New England contenders, at Lewiston.

In Saturday's game, Maine scored three times in the first period, three more in the second, and topped it off with two more in the final period. Bates scored their only goal in the last minute of play thus depriving goalie Dick Keith of a shutout.

Veteran Ted Tocci wielded the big stick for the winners with two goals, one of them unassisted, and a pair of assists. From the other defense position, Don Mavor slipped two goals by the Bates defense.

Maine's starting forward wall of Gil Dube, center, and forwards Gerry Bouchard and Bob Gigure accounted for the bulk of the scoring. Dube scored one goal and had two assists, Bouchard rapped in a goal and had one assist while Gigure tallied the only unassisted goal.

## Ex-Dean Among Noted Authors In New Book

A former dean of the College of Arts and Sciences has joined notable scientists, philosophers, and theologians in contributing to a new book entitled "Moral Principles of Action."

Dr. James Muilenburg, now of Union Theological Seminary, contributed a chapter on "The Ethics of the Prophet."

Kappa Sigma fraternity elected the following officers on Jan. 12: President, Robert Watral; Vice President, James Young; Secretary, Charles Galbo; and Treasurer, Joseph Garneau.

## Frosh Hoop Team To Go Against MCI

The newly organized freshman basketball squad will face M.C.I. here Saturday in a preliminary to the Maine-Connecticut contest.

Coach Bob Hollway has almost completely revised his lineup for the M.C.I. game with Roy Hendrickson starting at center, Tom Seavey and either Art Thomson or Sid Hubbard at the forwards, and Gus Folsom and Mike Polese or Lee Fitzgerald at the guards.

The Frosh, who had dropped their first three games, have been coming into their own of late. Recovering from an early season slump, the Maine yearlings rebounded to belt both Coburn and Ricker, and more recently won handily over Hebron Academy, 76-66.

The Freshmen, now sporting an even record for the first time this year, will play four more games before the season's end. After meeting M.C.I., the Frosh will face Higgins, the winner of the fraternity-dormitory game and Mattawamkeag Training School.

## Wharton Notes In Article

Professor Hilda M. Fife of the English Department has recently published an article dealing with the friendship between the American novelist Edith Wharton and the English writer Vernon Lee, in the current issue of the Colby Library Quarterly.

## New TKE Officers

New officers of Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity are: president, Robert Poulin; vice president, Charles Hoyt; secretary, Floyd Edwards; treasurer, Richard Eustis; asst. treasurer, Robert Crozen; historian, Almon Wheeler; chaplain, Ernest Theborge; pledge-master, Armand Theborge.



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